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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
8 AT SEATTLE

9 IKE NJOKU,

10 Plaintiff,

11 v.

12 EVERGREEN SALES AND LEASE,

Defendant.

CASE NO. C17-558-RSM

**ORDER GRANTING  
APPLICATION TO PROCEED IN  
FORMA PAUPERIS**

13 Plaintiff's application to proceed in forma pauperis (Dkt. 1) was referred to the  
14 undersigned United States Magistrate Judge. Because plaintiff does not appear able to pay the  
15 civil case filing fee, his application to proceed in forma pauperis is hereby **GRANTED**.  
16 However, the Court recommends the complaint be reviewed under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2)(B)  
17 before issuance of a summons.

18 The Clerk shall send a copy of this Order to defendant and to the Honorable Ricardo S.  
19 Martinez.

20 DATED this 13th day of April, 2017.

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23 BRIAN A. TSUCHIDA  
United States Magistrate Judge